

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Georg Reinbold et al.  
Serial No: 10/709,344  
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Title: Method for Sawing Pieces of Wood  
Examiner: Laura Michelle Lee  
Art Unit: 3724

**Commissioner for Patents**

**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**AMENDMENT**

In response to the office action dated 12/23/2008, please amend the instant application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

The claims are amended as shown in the attached marked-up complete list of claims.